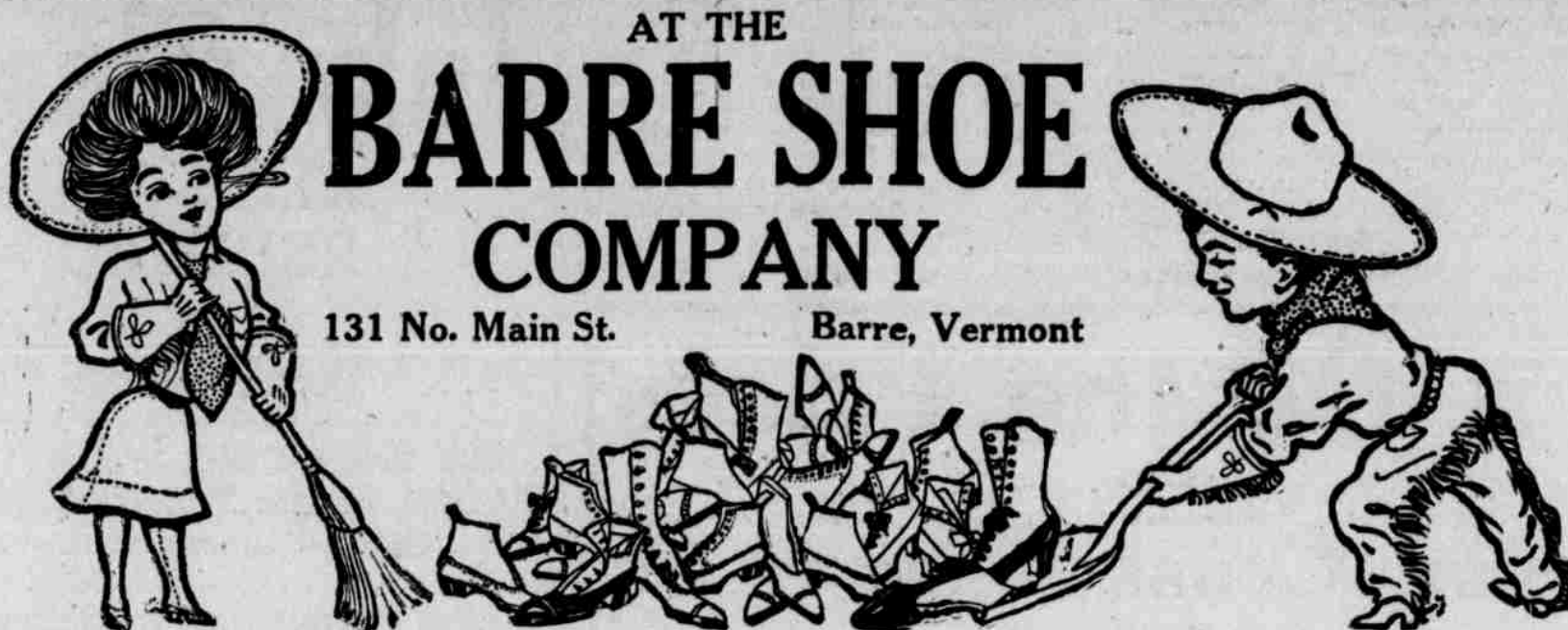


Barre's Biggest Shoe Sale



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Thursday morning, July 25, 1912, we open our doors with the Biggest Shoe Sale ever held in the history of this store. Our Semi-Annual Shoe Sales are always looked forward to by many as big money savers, but this sale will be even more so than ever, as we are going to offer bigger shoe bargains than ever attempted by this or any other shoe store in this city.

You see, we have too much stock for this time of the year. We bought unusually heavy (too generously, in fact) for the backward spring and summer we have had. This Sale ought to adjust matters.

With Fall Shoes already or about to be shipped and our shelves filled with Oxfords, we realize that we must make a big sacrifice to turn them into cash, regardless of any loss we will have, and there surely will be one at the prices we are going to sell for.

Our stock is clean, new and up to date, and we are going to keep it so, if low prices at the end of each season will do it.

Please note that this sale includes everything in this store. We must have the CASH to pay for fall goods soon here.

Read each and every item C-A-R-E-F-U-L-L-Y, as there is lots of good money that is going to be saved by this sale.

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Men's Shoes and Oxfords

RAMLEA	
\$4.50 Oxfords	\$3.35
Shoes	3.50
TIFFANY.	
\$4.50 Oxfords	\$3.35
Shoes	3.50
NESMITH.	
\$4.50 Oxfords	\$3.35
Shoes	3.50
TROPHY.	
\$4.00 Oxfords	\$2.95
Shoes	3.15
TIFFANY.	
\$4.00 Oxfords	\$2.95
Shoes	3.15
BENCH MADE.	
\$3.50 Oxfords	\$2.65
Shoes	2.85
All of our \$3.00 Oxfords	\$2.35
All of our \$3.00 Shoes	2.45
All of our \$2.50 Shoes and Oxfords	1.95
All of our \$2.00 Shoes and Oxfords	1.65

What about High-Cut Shoes? We've got them, and they are bargains at our prices.

Boys' Shoes and Oxfords

ALDEN.	
\$3.50 Shoes	\$2.75
\$3.00 Oxfords	2.35
Shoes	2.45
BURLEY & STEVENS.	
\$2.50 Oxfords	\$1.95
Shoes	2.00
CROWN, WALTON, AND WILLIAMS.	
\$2.00 Oxfords	\$1.60
Shoes	1.65
All of our \$1.50 Oxfords and Shoes	1.25
All of our \$1.25 Oxfords and Shoes	1.00



What We Save You on Work Shoes Is Just Like Finding Money.

ALL UNION MADE	
\$3.00 Work Shoes	\$2.35
\$2.75 Work Shoes	2.20
\$2.50 Work Shoes	1.95
\$2.25 Work Shoes	1.75
\$2.00 Work Shoes	1.65
\$1.50 Work Shoes	1.25

Can You Beat It?

Ladies' Shoes and Oxfords

PATRICIAN.	
\$4.00 Shoes	\$3.00
ELVA.	
\$3.50 Oxfords	\$2.70
Shoes	2.85
CO-ED.	
\$3.50 Oxfords	\$2.70
Shoes	2.85
ELVA.	
\$3.00 Oxfords	\$2.25
Shoes	2.45
CO-ED.	
\$3.00 Oxfords	\$2.25
Shoes	2.45
ALL OTHER MAKES.	
\$3.00 Oxfords	\$2.25
Shoes	2.45
All of our \$2.50 Oxfords	\$1.90
All of our \$2.50 Shoes	2.00
All of our \$2.00 Oxfords	1.50
All of our \$2.00 Shoes	1.65
All of our \$1.50 Oxfords and Shoes	1.25

If you want Velvet, Gun Metal, Patent, Tan, Nu Buck, or Canvas Pumps and Ties, we have them at these prices.

Misses' and Children's Dept.

EDUCATOR, SPARTANS, WALTON, AND ALL OF OUR OTHER MAKES.

\$2.50 Shoes	\$2.00
Shoes	1.65
\$2.00 Oxfords	1.50
\$1.75 Oxfords	1.40
Shoes	1.45
\$1.50 Oxfords and Shoes	1.25
\$1.25 Oxfords and Shoes	1.00
\$1.00 Oxfords and Shoes	.85
.90 Oxfords and Shoes	.75
.75 Oxfords and Shoes	.60
.50 Oxfords and Shoes	.40

Ladies' New Buck and White Canvas Shoes and Oxfords

\$3.50 Shoes and Oxfords	\$2.75
\$3.00 Shoes and Oxfords	2.25
\$2.50 Shoes and Oxfords	1.90
\$2.00 Shoes and Oxfords	1.45
\$1.50 Shoes and Oxfords	1.10

Do You Dance?

Then you ought to look at our Pumps and Sandals. Better come early. They won't last long.

If it's Anything in the Shoe Line We've Got it, and it's Going to be a Bargain, Too

This sale will be for cash at the time of purchase, as we cannot make memorandum slips at these prices, but if you get a pair of Shoes or Oxfords you don't like, bring them back and exchange them or get your money back, just the same as though you had paid the regular price.

Please make an effort to shop as early in the day as possible, as we will then have more time at your disposal.

P. S.—Watch our ad. in The Times every day for the EXTRA SPECIAL BARGAINS we are going to offer. Each and every ad. has a surprise in store for you.

Avvissa Special

Questa è una vendita che facciamo a solo scopo di reclame, e non per sbarazzarci di vecchie scarpe che abbiamo nel magazzino, ma per dare prova al pubblico della qualità buona di merce che noi abbiamo nei rep magazzini della quale non assiste da lungo tempo l'occhio solo da 18 mesi e cioè anche per darne prova al pubblico quanto può economizzare comprando da noi.

BARRE SHOE COMPANY

CASH SHOE STORE

131 No. Main Street

Barre, Vermont

Italiani

Noi invitiamo cordialmente gli Italiani di Barre e circoscrizioni vicine ad assistere alla grande vendita di scarpe, l'ogni genere e misura; che si terrà nel negozio del

BARRE SHOE STORE

di siamo al Peoples National Bank la vendita a pressa di conconenza comincerà l'obato pros mattina l'provare per credere non illusioni!

CIRCUMLOCUTION

IS OUSTED

True American Directness and Brevity at Last Applied to English Composition.

Far back before the day when Christopher Columbus succeeded in persuading Queen Isabella that the world was really round, and then set out and discovered this section of the globe, the original Americans had a way of "talking through their hats," as the slangist says. If the red man wanted to ask a neighbor for the loan of a few potatoes and an onion for the dog soup he was preparing, he was likely to commence with a few desultory remarks about the stars in the heaven, his mistaken ideas about the moon, throw in a few paragraphs about the happy hunting-grounds of the future and the nice weather of the present, and then slide in that modest request for a donation, so that if the neighbor was not following the line of conversation closely the potatoes and onion would be entirely obscured in the verbiage.

No matter what he had to say, the Indian "beat about the bush" in making talk, and that is possibly the one reason why he never got anywhere and

was badly trampled on in the march for progress, because it took him such a long time to let anyone know that he was being hurt.

Now, the people who helped push "poor Lo" off the earth, as it were, were more forceful in their utterances, and their descendants are even more so.

The modern "American" has no time to circumlocute, and wants to speak with brevity and to listen only to those who are brief, but does not want one word of importance sacrificed.

To fill this need, Everybody's Cyclopaedia was designed, and that is why it is now in great demand at The Times office. It says what it has to say briefly and to the point. Waste words have been eliminated. Clip six coupons.

ORANGE.

Washington camp, No. 14523, M. W. of A., will give a progressive whist party and dance at Washington on Thursday, July 25, at 8 p. m. Ladies bring supper box, to be sold at auction. Everybody invited. Per order entertainment committee.

The present season is a good time to secure artistic photographs of your residence and premises. Consult A. H. Troup at the Troup studios.

NEW ATTACK ON HANFORD LIKELY

Talk of Investigation by Federal Grand Jury.

Washington, July 24.—The house judiciary committee practically decided today to drop the impeachment proceedings against Federal Judge Hanford of Seattle, who resigned yesterday.

Chairman Clayton's action in ordering the sub-committee at Seattle to cease taking testimony and return immediately to Washington was ratified by the committee. It was decided, however, to request a report from the sub-committee before voting decisively upon dismissing the charges.

Representatives Victor Berger, the Wisconsin Socialist, and George W. Norris of Nebraska, whose resolutions caused the Hanford investigation, today notified the committee they did not care to press the charges further.

that if the attorney-general refuses to act he would introduce a resolution in the house to that end.

"I am informed that a half dozen millionaires, or other representatives of big business, induced Hanford to resign," said Berger.

"Anyway Hanford, his secretary and all his friends got rich while Hanford was on the bench. Then these millionaires induced Hanford to resign to save themselves from exposure in the investigation. I propose to show them up, although dropping the impeachment proceedings."

MAGAZINE REVIEW

The Man Who Has Opened Schoolhouses to Wider Use.

In the August American Magazine appears an article about Edmund J. Ward, creator of the school social center idea which has spread to many states. Following is an extract from the article:

"The Rochester School Board had in hand an appropriation of five thousand dollars to pay the expenses of beginning the wider use of the public school buildings and grounds, for a blind man could see that all that half-idle, conveniently located public property should be put to

some larger use, and they were looking for a man to take charge.

"Mr. Ward had been director of the toughest recreation field in Buffalo and President of the Directors' association there, acting pastor of the Church of the Covenant in Washington, organizer of the Men's club in Silver Creek; had seen eight years of football and other athletics; had won highest oratorical honors at college and thrown the champion heavyweight of Cornell. He spoke of some of these experiences. Then—he remembered. I'd walk across the continent to work on that job," he said, "but I can't take it; I'm black-listed." And he told why he was off the faculty at Hamilton.

"That would be the end of the story if the president of the School Board hadn't been George M. Forbes. Dr. Forbes looked at Mr. Ward. Then he said: 'You've had the training. You see the possibilities. If in addition to these qualifications we can get a man who is willing to sacrifice himself for what he believes, I think he is the man we want. If you'll prove that last statement as to why you're leaving Hamilton, I will favor your appointment by the Board.'

"That was how Mr. Ward became the hired man of all the people in the city, not simply the hired man, the minister of one variety of 'the good people,' the professor of a few selected youth, but

the community hired man, on the job of serving folk in getting their money's worth in acquaintance and understanding, in wholesome recreation and the joy of democracy.

"And at the end of two years the people's school buildings all over Rochester, some of them equipped with gymnasium, library, games, motion pictures machines, were being used as common citizens' common council chambers, centers of neighborhood; and it was being demonstrated that people of all creeds, parties and incomes are just folks, and enjoy getting together as they used to in the little red schoolhouse back home. The American institution had developed: the Social Center.

"It was at about this time that Governor Charles E. Hughes spoke at a citizens' banquet in Rochester and said of Mr. Ward's work:

"I am more interested in what you are doing and in what it stands for than in anything else in the world. You are buttressing the foundation of democracy."

Hannibal H. Best of Burlington, a traveling salesman, has filed a petition in bankruptcy with Clerk F. S. Platt of the United States court. He has liabilities of \$487.19 and assets of \$100, all claimed exempt.

Should Appeal to Vermont. The appearance of two such strong Progressives as Governor Hadley of Missouri and Senator Borah of Idaho on the stump in Vermont for Taft next month is certainly a political sign of importance. No two men who went to Chicago for Roosevelt came out of that contest with more credit. Hadley could have secured the presidential nomination, it seems certain, if Roosevelt had been willing to step aside in his favor. He is waging a splendid war for good government in Missouri and holds the confidence of the people without regard to party. Senator Borah's strength and independence we recently commented upon. He is a rough and ready speaker of real power and excellence and ought to strike the people of Vermont as an effective aid to the cause of Taft. It will be interesting to see exactly upon what lines Hadley and Borah frame their addresses. They are both positive to make stand-pat utterances and it is probable that their chief point will be that Progressive Republicans can support President Taft with better grace and more consistency than by casting their ballots for the Democratic or a third-party candidate.—Boston Transcript.